## **AGENDA**

## INSOLVENCY LAW COMMITTEE FEBRUARY 24, 2006 10:00 a.m. OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

- 1. Administrative Matters (Paul Pascuzzi)
  - a. Approval of Minutes: January 20, 2006
  - b. Membership issues
    - i. Welcome Gary Kaplan
    - ii. New application for next year
  - c. Bar profiles set up
  - d. No meeting in March
- 2. Website and Constituency Subcommittee Report (Eve Karasik)
  - a. ILC website selected for demonstration at Leadership Retreat (Paul Pascuzzi)
  - b. Web updates
    - i. General annual review and update of webpage
    - ii. Other ideas
  - c. E-Bulletins (Paul Pascuzzi)
    - i. Mini-articles/case updates/BAPCPA news
    - ii. Announcements re upcoming programs
    - iii. Ideas for other topics
  - d. Solicitation for constituency list (Eve Karasik, Doug Boven, Paul Pascuzzi, Rob Harris)
- 3. Publications Subcommittee Report (Colin Wied)
  - a. Business Law News
    - i. Article updates
    - ii. Colin Wied submission of article from Family Law program at Annual Meeting

- b. Annual review (Paul Pascuzzi, Dan Schechter)
- c. Other publication channels and topics—Chapter 11 Manual
- 4. Education Subcommittee Report (Liz Berke-Dreyfuss/Donna Parkinson)
  - a. Report on Winter Section Education Institute presentation January 27-29, 2006, "The New Bankruptcy Act: What Every General Practitioner Should Know"
  - b. State Bar 2006 Annual Meeting deadlines
    - i. January 24, 2006, topics and descriptions were submitted
  - c. Other program ideas for continuing education; any volunteers?
    - i. Topics: Programs on bankruptcy reform legislation; Small Business Bankruptcy; Commencing a Case; Executing a Case; Conclusion of a Case; Landlord Issues; Construction/Bankruptcy; Healthcare Bankruptcy issues; Securities/Bankruptcy
    - ii. Venues: teleseminars, co-sponsorships with other State Bar committees, San Jose Inns of Court and other local bar groups
- 5. Legislation Subcommittee Report (David Meadows)
  - a. Possible ALP re CCP § 703.130 and other California provisions containing erroneous references to Bankruptcy Code (or Act!) (Bill Sias)
  - b. Fairness in Bankruptcy Litigation Act of 2005 (re venue) [S.314] (Molly Baier/Lisa Fenning): ILC comment finalized; report on status of the bill
  - c. S.256 (BAPCPA):
    - i. Liaison to Central District Ad Hoc Committee (Barry Glaser)
    - ii. Comment Letter on Interim Rules and Forms (Mary Jo Wiggins)
  - d. Other state and federal bills (David Meadows)
    - i. H.R. 4296 preferences
    - ii. H.R. 4241/S. 1932 pension termination surcharges
    - iii. Others-- S. 1879--reduce claim if not waive interest in pre-bankruptcy plan by credit counseling agency; S. 1647—relief for Katrina victims; S. 1787—relief for natural disaster victims

- e. California Law Revision Commission
  - i. Mechanics lien revisions; probable early 2006
  - ii. Assignment for benefit of creditors; status (Mark Porter)
  - iii. CLRC agenda for Feb 23 meeting
- f. CCP § 697.530 and problems perfecting lien upon assets of a foreign corporation in California (Mark Porter, Ellen Friedman, Paul Pascuzzi)
- g. CCP §§ 708.110 *et seq.* and other secret liens; education project with UCC Committee (Mark Porter)
- h. 580b Protections on refinance; possible ALP (Barry Glaser)
- i. Lis Pendens case; possible ALP (Paul Pascuzzi)
- j. Uniform Debt Management Services Act (Paul Pascuzzi)
- 6. Update from Executive Committee Liaison (Rob Harris)
- 7. New Business
  - a. Invitation to Comment on proposed revised civil jury instructions
  - b. Email and letter from David Tilem re consumer bankruptcy attorney issues to Judge Russell
- 8. Adjournment

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